A Lesson in Humility, Says a Billville philosopher: "The automobile makes you feel too proud on a man like the opium habit, but for this world. To get to heaven its consequences, instead of being disyou've got to be as humble as the ox- astrous, are delightful, and socially cart and go slow and sure."-Atlanta as well as morally improving.-Sar-Constitution.

#### AILING WOMEN.

Keep the Kidneys Well and the Kid neys Will Keep You Well. Sick, suffering, languid women are



the action of the a kidneys was irregular. Soon after I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills I passed several gravel Foster-Milburn Co., Boffalo, N. Y.

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If your, blood is impure, thin, diseased, hot or full of humors, if you have blood poisons camer, carbuncles, eating sores, secolular eczema, itching, risings and lumps, scabby, pimply skin, bone pains, catarrh, rheumatism, or any blood or skin disease, take Botanic Blood Baim (R. B. B.) according ing to directions. Soon all sores heal, aches and pairs stop, the blood is made pure and rich, leaving the skin from every eruption, and giving the ri h glow of perfect health to the At the same time B. B. B. improves the digestion, cures dyspensia strengthens weak kidneys, Just the medicine for old people, as it gives them new, vigorous blood. Druggists, \$1 per large bottle, with directions for home cure. Sample free and prepaid by writing Blood Balm Co., Atlanta, Ga. Describe trouble and special free medical advice also sent in scaled let-B. B. B. is especially advised for nic, deep-scated cases of impure True blue seldom sees things blue.

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Men have been made more sober road town of 4,000 population, but now | not by legislation, in which temperance advocates put so much trust, overrun by thousands of wild cats, the but by the growth of competition and descendants of two or three hundred the struggle for existence.-London Telegraph.

Morally Improving Habit. The habit of dressing well grows torial Art Review.

Fortifying Puget Sound. Puget Sound for mines and torpedo stations. Mine equipment that cost

\$500,000 is stored near Ft. Ward. It is expected to be in place by the first of next year.

Special Hearse for Giant. A hearse had to be specially made at Rawtenstall, England, for the could hardly stand burial of James Nuttall, "the largest Spells of dizziness man in Lancashire.' The comin, and sick headaches which was six feet four inches long,

Brittany Marriage Custom.

was carried by twelve bearers.

Conspicuous among the adoruments stones. I got well and the trouble has of the bridal feast in Brittany is an arnot returned. My back is good and tistic and elaborate butter structure strong and my general health better." as fanciful and elegant as the most Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box | beautiful bridal cake, and into this structure the guests stick split sticks

> Ever Flip a Double-Header Cent? An old mald never loses interest in the man she might have married thur is supposed to have fired these If he succeeds she prides herself or shots the fact that she could have had him If he fails she is equally proud of the to St. Louis for safe keeping. fact that she had foresight enough to turn him down .- Detroit Free Press

Tennessee Praise.

Dayton, Tenn., Dec. 11th (Special) Among many prominent residents to praise Dodd's Kidney Pills is Mr. N. R. Roberts of this place. He tells of all who are suffering in the same

"I was a martyr to Kidney Trouble. but Dodd's Kidney Pills completely cured me. I shall always keep them on hand in case there should be any return of the old trouble, but I am blood and skin disease, and cures after thankful to say they did their work so well there has not been the slightest sign of my old complaint coming back. The pain in my back used to be terrible. If I got down I had a hard job to get straight again. But my back is like a new one now and I can stoop as much as I please. I don't half so good as Dodd's Kidney Pills."

> Professional Bird-Catcher. Berlin supports a professional birdatcher, who keeps scientific instituions supplied with birds, nests and

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, SS. FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is senior FRANK J. CHENEY. Sworn to before me and su ce, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON,

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F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 75c.
Take Hail's Family Pills for constipation.

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Days of Cheap Rents. Four shillings per annum was the rent of a five-roomed house in Henry grove. VIII's time.

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Some grocers say they don't keep Defiance Starch because they have a stock on hand of 12 oz. brands, which they know cannot be sold to a custopkg. Defiance Starch for same money.

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A full sized bottle is furnished you free to prove it. Remember we give only one bottle to each family. If your druggist fails to supply you with Mull's Grape Tonic send us this coupon together with name and address of the draggist and we will mail you a bottle. Try all the druggists before you write us as the bottle he is authorized to give

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## MISSOURI DOINGS

VERDICT IN SPAUGH CASE.

of Sheriff Polk.

Centreville, Mo .: The jury in the cases of Mrs. Mary Spaugh and her of murder in the first degree. The mother was convicted of murder in .o 10 years in the penitentiary.

The case of Arthur Spaugh, the secand brother, who was granted a sepa-May term of court.

mitted last May in Ironton. William Spaugh had assaulted and beaten the son of Mayor Edgar of Ironton. Sheriff Polk went to the Spaugh home to

William was on the north when the "You've got a warrant for me," said

William, "I won't come," He went into the house and the sheriff followed closely. He had hardly entered when he received a load of buckshot from a shotgun in the hands of William. He was also shot several times in the back with a revolver from an adjoining room. Ar-

The Spaughs will be brought back

INDICTED FOR BRUTAL CRIME.

Accused of Crime.

Kennett, Mo.: Dr. A. S. Harrison, one of the best known physicians in of what they have done for him, and this section of Missour, and John his words will go deep into the hearts Sweeney, an ex-convict, have been indicted by the Dunkin County grand jury on the double charges of assault with intent to kill and mayhem. Harof three physicians and being nursed burned.

The operation that may cause his death was performed a week ago in a vacant house near the Frisco depot and after it was finished Crites was

believe there ever was any medicine left on the railroad track unconscious. He revived in time to roll off the track just before a train passed. It is supposed that his assailants left him on the railroad expecting that Has Conference With Attorney-Genhe would be killed and his body mangled so that evidence of the inhuman operation would be destroyed.

Convicted of Murder Charge.

Henry Bauchman two years ago at with Attorney-General Hadley several bed in my pres the state line saloon in Taney county. hours. The case of Clyde Elliott, charged His presence here is regarded as an with being an accomplice in the kill- indication that the Government may ing, was dismissed. Lee King was have in contemplation an investigatried in the Christian county circuit tion of the Standard company's afcourt, charged with being an accom- fairs on its own account. plice, and sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary. He has appealed.

Oakgrove Wants New Name. Kansas City, Mo.: Some of the coming entirely too common. There

Rebate Indictments Expected.

Kansas City, Mo .: The taking of estimony before the federal grand jury, which is investigating the question of freight rebates, was continued mer who has once used the 16 oz. Monday. The nature of the testimony is, of course, unknown, but it is said Sow a small joy and reap a great that indictments may be expected States District Judge John F .Philips

> Scott Found Guilty of Murder. ing him guilty of murder in the second degree and fixed the punishment at ninety-nine years in the penitentiary. Scott killed S. J. Copeland at

these efforts.

Monett Votes Water Bonds.

Monett, Mo.: A special election ried by an overwhelming majority.

Dr. Preetorius Honored. souri branch, German-American Na- the place furnish a vast amount of tional Alliance, in Central Turner fuel for this and surrounding cities.

memory of Dr. Emil Preetorius.

Larue Taken to Prison. Jefferson City, Mo.: Marshal Joe Finks of the Supreme Court brought P. Larue, the St. Louis attorney, sentenced to serve two years for the embezzlement of funds belonging to Washington county jail, December 4. a client. The prisoner is in poor physical condition and was placed in the prison hospital for treatment.

basing point.

Quarrel Results in Killing. quarrel between Andy Rodman and Baptist Church, aged 81, who had foods lack. Will Chappell, near Eldridge, fifteen served in the pulpit for over half a miles northwest of Lebanon, Chappell century, died suddenly of heart disfail.

W. H. THOMPSON'S FUNERAL.

Boy and Mother Convicted of Killing Pretty Tribute to Late Banker by Dr. Niccolls.

St. Louis: In the presence of prominent men of St. Louis, from all son, William Spaugh, Jr., reported at walks of life, with whom the dead I p. m. Friday. The son is convicted financier had been associated in many movements for the public good, the body of William H. Thompson Government engineers are mapping the second degree and was sentenced was taid to rest Friday afternoon. The service at Bellefontaine cemetery was simple. After a brief prayer by Rev. Dr. S. J. Niccolls, the rate trial, was continued until the body was temporarily placed in the vault of W. K. Bixby, where it will The crime of which the mother and main until the Thompson tomb is son have been convicted was com- completed. The floral arrangements were such that the casket appeared to sink into a mass of flowers.

The funeral services were begun at 1:30 o'clock, at the Thompson family home, 4487 Lindell boulevard. where, in the presence of the family sheriff arrived, and called on him to and honorary and active pallbearers, Dr. Niccolls offered a short prayer Beautiful floral pieces, received from friends in St. Louis and other cities, nearly filled the lower floor of the large Thompson residence.

Shortly after 2 o'clock, the funerai cortege arrived at the Second Presbyterian church. The church was filled with people, representing the city's business and social life. Floral displays were massed in front of the pulpit, and in the midst of them the casket was placed. Following the immediate family, came the Odd Fellows, an order of which the deceased had been a member for many years. The Scripture lesson was read by Rev. W. E. Evans, assistant pastor of the Dr. A. S. Harrison and John Sweeney church, after which Dr. Niccolls gave a brief address.

#### FIRE IN PRINT SHOP.

Business District of Shelbyville Disastrously Visited.

Shelbina Mo.: A message from Shelbyville reports that fire which rison has been released on bond and originated in the Guard newspaper of Sweeney is in jail pending the recov- fice destroyed a number of buildings ery of Daniel Crites, the victim of an there. The Guard outfit, owned by illegal and inhuman operation. He is Walter A. Dimwalt, is a complete loss. at the Kennett Hotel under the care even his subscription books being

The Shelbyville city records were also destroyed. Congressman Lloyd's law library was burned. Other losses are Dovle, Priest &

Dunn real estate brokers: C. Marshal, barber; Drs. Devin and Carson

FEDERAL AGENT.

eral Hadley.

Jefferson City, Mo .: John H. Nel son, as pecial agent of the Department of Justice at Washington, D. C., partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing outliness in the City of Toledo. County and State toresaid, and thut said firm will pay the sum of NE HUNDIED DOLLARS for each and every axe of Caranna that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRII CURE.

Convicted of Murder Charge.

Spent part of Friday here looking into the record of the Standard Oil Co. in the charge of murdering this state. He was in conference that is conference to the conference that is conference to the conference that is conference that is conference to the conference that i spent part of Friday here looking into

ATTEMPT TO BURN CHURCH. Firebugs Try to Destroy House

Worship. St. Louis: A fire of mysterious orpeople of Oakgrove, Mo., wish the igin occurred late Saturday evening in name of the town changed. They say St. John's Catholic Church, 16th and this name may be found in every Chestnut streets, over which Father county in the state and that it is be- Patrick Dooley presides. It was in the chapel portion of the building, and was out it now."-Mrs. W. J. Walker, Camden, are others, however, who think the discovered in a corner among some present name is quite an improve. old books which had been discarded ment on "Lickskillet," the original from the library. A few of the books name of the town now known as Oak- were burned and the door was scorched, but the damage was insignificant.

Five Saved in River. Jefferson City, Mo.: Desperate measures were necessary to save five er, ten miles above Osage City. The hoat contained Assistant Superin tendent J. E. Roark of the government force at work on the lock and dam, when the jury reports to United Engineer George Voight and three others, whose names could not be learned. The boat was proceeding up stream from Osage City to the lock and struck a hidden obstruction and Vienna, Mo .: The William Scott was partly sunk, Farmers came to the murder trial ended Saturday morning, assistance of the men, who swam when the jury returned a verdict find- ashore and securing a boat several miles below the scene of the wreck

finally effected the rescue. School Bond Election Void. Trenton, Mo .: On account of a a picule in Maries county last August, technicality in the official notice of the election of September 30, by which Missouri Warns Insurance Company. the Trenton district authorized bonds Jefferson City, Mo .: The state in- to buy Avalon college and improve surance department, which refused a the same for high school purposes, license to the Elkhart Mutual Life In- the election has been declared void, surance Association of Elkhart, Ind., and the question will be submitted has been notified that the company is again on December 27. The objection seeking to do business in this state. was made by the purchaser of the It has been warned to discontinue bonds. The proposition carried in

September by an overwhelming vote. Petroleum Found Near Clarksburg. Clarksburg, Mo.: Petroleum has was held here Saturday for the pur-been found on the Williams' farm, one pose of voting \$6000 additional bonds mile southeast of this city. It was to extend water mains and rebuild discovered while sinking a shaft of the pumping station. The bonds car- coal. The farm is near the Joe Shelby coal mine, which was operated thirty years ago. Since that time coal. zinc and lead have been occasionally St. Louis: At a meeting of the Mis- mined, and today the coal mines on Hall, resolutions were adopted in Operations will begin at once for the

development of the petroleum. Reward Offered for Convict. Jefferson City, Mo.: Gov. Folk has issued a proclamation offering a reto the penitentiary Saturday William ward of \$200 for the apprehension of Frank Sappington, under conviction for assault, who escaped from the

St. Joseph Lid-Lifters Indicted. St. Joseph, Mo.: Forty-two indictments were returned in the criminal court here, mostly against lid-lifters. Rates for territory within . 100-mile All such cases hereafter will be proseradius commuted and St. Louis made cuted in the state courts, instead of the police court.

Noted Baptist Is Dead. Lebanon, Mo.: As a result of a den Scott, a retired minister of the ment that so many other prepared

Hard Work and Long Life. Almost every one with a senerous countries in which hard work and length of days have existed amicably together There is small doubt but that to work hard and cheerfully means to

work-and live-long. Ancient Russian Costumes. The old local costumes are still orn in many parts of Russia. There great variety in them, but rich emroldery and an imposing head-dress of some sort are common to all.

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don Daily News. Slow and Lucky. Perlans there is no one trait that more differentiates "unlucky" men from "lucky" men than the carefully preserved habit of going slow. . know men who - are essentially 'lucky" men in the common meaning of the word, and I have often notices their calm, unhurried speech and ac ion.-Grand Macazine.

London's Deaths by Accident. London's average death roll by accident among males is between four and five a day. London's male population numbers 2,167,897, so that the risks of death by accident are more in London than in the rest of the country. Every two days throughout the year nine Londoners are killed by unpremeditated violence.

City Founder Is Generous. William J. Palmer, the founder of Colorado City, Colo., has given that city \$1,000,000 or more in the way of parks, large sums to its charitable in stitutions, built a driveway up the Bear canyon, and now has bought up another large tract of ground, with the intention of turning it into a park.

A BRAIN WORKER.

Must Have the Kind of Food That Nourishes Brain. "I am a literary man whose nervous energy is a great part of my stock in

trade, and ordinarily I have little pa-

tience with breakfast foods and the

extravagant claims made of them. But I cannot withhold my acknowledgment of the debt that I owe to Grape Nuts food. "I discovered long ago that the very bulkiness of the ordinary diet was not calculated to give one a clear head, the power of sustained, accurate thinking always felt heavy and sluggish in mind as well as body after eating the

ordinary meal, which diverted the blood from the brain to the digestive apparatus. "I tried foods easy of digestion, but ound them usually deficient in nutriment. I experimented with many breakfast foods and they, too, proved insatisfactory, till I reached Grape-

solved. "Grape-Nuts agreed with me perfeetly from the beginning, satisfying Kansas City, Mo.: Rev. Abel Har- my hunger and supplying the nutri-

Nuts. And then the problem was

"I had not been using it very long shot Rodman in the breast. Rodman ease Sunday while playing with his an unusual quantity and quality of died Saturday morning. Chappell daughter at his home here. Rev. Scott work. Continued use has demonstratcame to Lebanon and gave himself was born near Louisville, Ky., but the ed to my entire satisfaction that came to Lebanon and gave himself was born hear following to the sheriff and was lodged in illinois, where he held one pulpit for ments needed by the brain and nerv-

Postmaster Under the Lash. Robert Ceril, postmaster at Tipton, Ore, convicted of wife-beating, received, under sentence of court, ten lashes on the bare back in public, recently. He is preparing to cell his

property now and leave the country. Impure Soda Water. A soda water manufacturer at Rochdale, England, has been fined for sell-

Guillotine for Rent. The town of Lucerne has bought for \$200 Schaffhausen's old guillotine and announces that it will lend it to

ing soda water that contained only

half a grain of carbonate of soda to a

given quantity, whereas it should have

cantained from eight to ten grains.

other towns at \$5,50 an execution. Every housekeeper should know that if they will buy Defiance Cold will save not only time, because it never sticks to the iron, but because each package contains 16 oz.—one full pound-while all other Cold Water Starches, are put up in 34-pound packages, and the price is the same, 10 cents. Then again because Defiance Starch is free from all injurious chemicals. If your grocer tries to sell you a 12-oz. package it is because he has stock on hand which he wishes to dispose of before he puts in Defiance He knows that Defiance Starch has printed on every package in large letters and figures "16 ozs." Demand Defiance and save much time and money and the annovance of the Iron sticking. Defiance never sticks. Forty-one Years in Service.

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Those Who Have Tried It.

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There are twenty-eight cometeries

1 do not believe Piso's Cure for Consumption

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BOYER, Trinity Springs, Ind., Feb. 15, 1900.

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Jackdaw in Flywheel. Sixth Century Women. A portrait of Queen Basine, mother

A pet jackdaw was imissing in a of Clovis, the first Christian king of Targe machinery shop near Kilmar-France, shows that women of the nock, Scotland, the other day, but was sixth century wore their long, heavy found inside a targe flywheel, after tresses in two great locks which were it had circulated for over two and a half hours at 176 revolutions a minute. The bird was unhuct.

There is, an old Greek proverh 'Immense Growth of Scawced, which says: "We are what we seem." The fargest plant in the world is Note that! Not "We are what we probably a species of seaweed, which are," which would really be a finer often attains a length of 300 feet The sentiment and far more popular with stenis are dried and used as ropes by

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Reality and Seeming.

naiden name was Estes, was born in Lynn, Mass., February 9th, 1819, coming from a good old Quaker family. conduit, that every man bath a share | For many years she taught school, and during her career as a teacher she became known as a woman of an alert and investigating mind, an earnest seeker after knowledge, and above all, she was possessed with a wonderfully sympathetic nature.

builder and real estate operator, and their early married life was marked by prosperity and happiness. They had four children, three sons and a daugh-No chromos or cheap premiums, but | In these good old-fashloned days few

In 1843 she married Isaac Pinkham,

and herbs, which are to-day recognized Some think they are entitled to the as more potent and efficacious in connear, to no avail. Then I got Cuti- wings of an angel because they have trolling diseases than any combination of drugs. Mrs. Pinkham from her youth took a has an equal for coughs and colds.-John F | the study of roots and herbs, their characteristics and power over disease; she believed that as nature A man does not get to be one of the so bountifully provides food for the

the ills and weaknesses of the body,

in the roots and herbs of the field.

friend, she often made use of her knowledge of roots and herbs in pre paring medicines for her family and Knowing of so much suffering among her sex, after much study and research, Mrs. Pinkham believed that the diseases of women have a common cause, and she set to work to find a common remedy-not at that

time as a source of profit, but simply that she might aid the suffering How her efforts have been rewarded the women of the world know to-day. In 1873 the financial crisis struck Lynn. Its length and severity was too much for the large real estate interests of the Pinkham family, as this class of business suffered most from this fearful depression, so when the iren teething, softens the gums, reduces in-on, allays pain, cures wind colle. 25c abottle. Centennial year dawned it found their

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had so often made from roots and herbs for such of her women neighbors and friends who were sick and illing. Its success in those cases had been wonderful-its fame had spread, and calls were coming from miles around for this efficacious vegetable They had no money, and little credit. Their first laboratory was the kitchen, where roots and herbs were

steeped on the stove, gradually filling gross of bottles. Then came the question of selling it, for always before they had given it away free. They hired a job printer to run off some pamphlets setting forth the merts of the medicine, now called Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and these namphlets were distributed y the Pinkham sons in Boston, New York and Brooklyn.

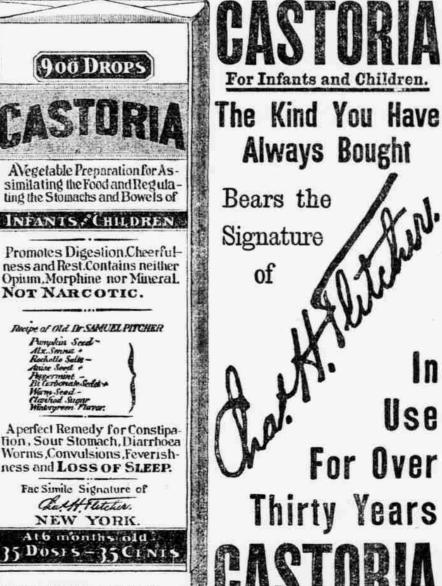
the medicine were, to a great extent, self-advertising, for whoever used it recommended it to others, and the demand gradually increased.

commence newspaper advertising on a small scale, and from that time the growth and success of the enterprise was assured, until to-day Lydia E. Pinkham and her Vegetable Compound have become household words everywhere, and thousands of pounds of roots and herbs are used annually in making this great remedy for woman's

petuation of her great work was guarded by her foresight. During her long and eventful experience she was ever methodical in her woman who applied to her for advice ing symptoms, treatment and results. were recorded for future reference. and to-day these records, together with tion regarding the treatment of wom-

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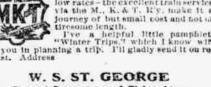
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